Percent of People Below Poverty Level

Population for Whom Poverty Status is Determined



Rank	Place	Percent	Lower Bound	Upper Bound
1	Miami city, FL	31.2	24.6	37.8
2	Newark city, NJ	30.6	24.8	36.4
3	Cleveland city, OH	26.3	21.7	30.9
	El Paso city, TX	26.1	22.1	30.1
5	Atlanta city, GA	25.9	21.3	30.5
6	St. Louis city, MO	24.0	19.7	28.3
7	Detroit city, MI	23.3	20.2	26.4
8		23.2	18.9	27.5
9	Minneapolis city, MN	22.9	19.3	26.5
	Long Beach city, CA	22.6	17.3	27.9
11	Memphis city, TN	22.5	19.0	26.0
12	Milwaukee city, WI	22.0	19.0	25.0
	New Orleans city, LA	21.7	17.9	25.5
13	Corpus Christi city, TX	21.7	17.4	26.0
	Philadelphia city, PA	21.2	19.1	23.3
	Dallas city, TX	20.9	18.4	23.4
17	Buffalo city, NY	20.8	15.7	25.9
	Baltimore city, MD	20.6	17.6	23.6
	Fresno city, CA	20.2	15.7	24.7
	Stockton city, CA	20.1	13.8	26.4
	Louisville city, KY	19.9	16.1	23.7
	Oakland city, CA	19.5	15.0	24.0
22	Boston city, MA	19.5	16.9	22.1
24	Toledo city, OH	19.4	16.6	22.2
	Chicago city, IL	19.0	17.4	20.7
	New York city, NY	19.0	18.2	19.8
27		18.8	17.3	20.3
	Lexington-Fayette, KY	18.8	14.3	23.3
29	Houston city, TX	18.6	17.0	20.3
	Tucson city, AZ	18.2	16.4	20.0
	Oklahoma City city, OK	18.0	14.9	21.1
	Washington city, DC	17.5	15.9	19.2
	Pittsburgh city, PA	17.5	14.0	21.0
	San Antonio city, TX	17.1	15.0	19.2
	Columbus city, OH	16.9	15.7	18.1
36	Santa Ana city, CA	16.7	11.1	22.3
37		16.6	14.3	18.9
	Bakersfield city, CA	16.4	10.8	22.0
	Denver city, CO	16.4	13.4	19.4
	Fort Worth city, TX	16.4	13.3	19.5
	Wichita city, KS	16.3	12.5	20.1
42		15.6	12.0	19.2
42	St. Paul city, MN	15.6	12.0	19.2
	Sacramento city, CA	15.5	11.9	19.1
	Austin city, TX	15.1	12.3	17.9
	Kansas City city, MO	15.0	11.4	18.6
	San Diego city, CA	14.7	12.2	17.2
	Portland city, OR	14.6	13.1	16.1
	Jacksonville city, FL	14.4	11.9	16.9
	Albuquerque city, NM	14.4	11.1	17.7
	Seattle city, WA	13.7	11.4	16.0
	Honolulu CDP, HI	13.6	11.5	15.7
	Raleigh city, NC	13.2	10.2	16.2
	Riverside city, CA	12.9	8.3	17.5
	Nashville-Davidson (balance), TN	12.6	10.3	14.9
	Anaheim city, CA	12.5	7.2	17.8

57	Mesa city, AZ	12.4	8.6	
	Omaha city, NE	12.3	10.8	
59	Tulsa city, OK	12.1	8.8	
60	Indianapolis city (balance), IN	11.8	9.8	
61	Las Vegas city, NV	11.3	8.8	
62		10.7	8.9	
	San Francisco city, CA	10.5	9.5	
64	Aurora city, CO	8.9	6.3	
65	5 11	8.7	5.1	12.3
66	Colorado Springs city, CO	8.4	5.9	
67	San Jose city, CA	7.7	5.9	
68	J	7.1	5.0	
69	Anchorage municipality, AK	5.9	4.9	6.9

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2002 American Community Survey

The table above shows the margin of error, represented by the lower and upper bounds of the 90-percent confidence interval. The confidence interval gives a range of values likely to include the population true value. The smaller the confidence interval the more precise the estimate of the characteristic of interest.

An 'N' entry in the estimate, lower bound, and upper bound columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.